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11. Poloff followed-up on reftel A demarche with Mr. Dusit Manapan, Director of the Social Division at the International Organization Department of the Thai Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Mr. Dusit explained that Thailand "fundamentally does not believe in country resolutions" and thus would support any "No Action" proposals brought forth for these five country-specific resolutions. If the "No Action" proposals do not pass, Dusit noted that Thailand would abstain.

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